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I talked with Miss Gibbons at the Civil Service Commission concerning [REDACTED]

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She explained that the backgrounds of the nominees are carefully reviewed at the Commission as well as by an outside selection committee and they try to match backgrounds to the schools.

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In [REDACTED] case it was felt that Cornell fit his background well, although it was not his first choice.

Concerning Harvard, she said that of the 96 nominees 23 listed Harvard as their first choice. Only 5 were selected.

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